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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

DE'MARIAN A. CLEMONS,
Petitioner,
vs.
GENTRY, et al.,
Respondents.

Case No. 2:17-cv-01041-JAD-GWF

Order Denying Motions

[ECF Nos. 14, 15]

Pro se plaintiff and Nevada state prisoner De'Marian A. Clemons brings this petition for writ of habeas corpus to challenge his 2014 state-court conviction. Clemons has filed a motion for default and for the court to grant his habeas petition because the respondents failed to respond to it.¹ Default judgment does not exist in federal habeas corpus.² Even if it did, Clemons would not be entitled to this relief because the court extended the respondents' deadline to respond to March 28, 2018.³ And they filed their motion to dismiss a week before that deadline ran.⁴

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that petitioner's motion for default [ECF No. 14] and to grant his habeas petition [ECF No. 15] are **DENIED**.

DATED: March 29, 2018


JENNIFER A. DORSEY
United States District Judge

¹ ECF Nos. 14, 15. This single document has been docketed as two separate motions.

² *Gordon v. Duran*, 895 F.2d 612 (9th Cir. 1990).

³ See ECF No. 13.

⁴ See ECF No. 17.